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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of: SONG, et al.

Serial No.: 09/896,720

Examiner: Kruse, David H.


Date Filed: June 14, 2001

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For: UBIQUITIN LIGASE

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a)

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Mail Stop Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Please find enclosed for filing the following:

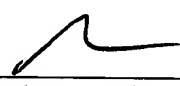
- X Amendment;
- X Petition for Three (3) Month Extension of Time;
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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed January 14, 2003 (hereinafter, the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 5 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including replacement figures is attached following page 10 of this paper.